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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Roberto Luiz Bruno Penteadó et al.

Application No. 09/854,859

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Examiner: Charesse L. Evans

For: APPLICATION OF PHYTOSTEROIDS
(AND ISOMERS THEREOF), FOLIC
ACID, CYANOCOBALAMINE AND
PYRIDOXINE IN DIETETIC
(ALIMENTARY) FIBERS

**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of applicant(s), hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to and including Friday, November 28, 2003, to file a response to the Final Office Action of May 28, 2003, which carried an original response date of Tuesday, October 28, 2003.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$980.00 for the three-month extension fee. Any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with the submission of this Petition should be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for that purpose.

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I hereby certify that this PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a) (along with any documents referred to as attached or enclosed) is being transmitted by facsimile to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Attention: Examiner Amy E. Pulliam, Art Unit 1615, Facsimile Number 703-305-3592, on the date indicated.

Date: October 6, 2004

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Helma DelNazer". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the right of the date.